

U. S. Department of Justice

(MATERIAL MUST NOT BE REMOVED FROM OR ADDED TO)

FEDERAL BUREAU

*of*

INVESTIGATION

62-

HQ-109794

Sec. 1

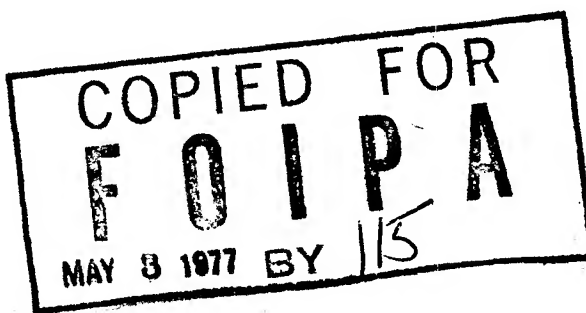
Serials 1-



62-HQ-109794-1

**DO NOT  
DESTROY**

FOIPA # 1015288



**USE CARE IN HANDLING THIS FILE**

**Transfer-Call 421**

## ATTENTION

The following documents appearing in FBI files have been reviewed under the provisions of The Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (Title 5, United States Code, Section 552); Privacy Act of 1974 (PA) (Title 5, United States Code, Section 552a); and/or Litigation.

☐ FOIA/PA☐ Litigation☐ Executive Order Applied

Requester: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

Computer or Case Identification Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Case: \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

\* File \_\_\_\_\_

Serials Reviewed: \_\_\_\_\_

Release Location: \*File \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

This file section has been scanned into the FOIPA Document Processing System (FDPS) prior to National Security Classification review. Please see the documents located in the FDPS for current classification action, if warranted. Direct inquires about the FDPS to RIDS Service Request Unit  

b2

File Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

Serial(s) Reviewed: \_\_\_\_\_

FOIPA Requester: \_\_\_\_\_

FOIPA Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

FOIPA Computer Number: \_\_\_\_\_

File Number: 62-HQ-109794 Section \_\_\_\_\_Serial(s) Reviewed: 1-9

FOIPA Requester: \_\_\_\_\_

FOIPA Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

FOIPA Computer Number: 1015288

File Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Section \_\_\_\_\_

Serial(s) Reviewed: \_\_\_\_\_

FOIPA Requester: \_\_\_\_\_

FOIPA Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

FOIPA Computer Number: \_\_\_\_\_

THIS FORM IS TO BE MAINTAINED AS THE TOP SERIAL OF THE FILE, BUT NOT SERIALIZED.

SCANNED BY DocLab (RMD)

DATE: 4-3-05

ATTENTION

LAST SERIAL: 9

DO NOT REMOVE FROM FILE

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 11-6-64

FROM :

[Redacted]

SUBJECT: PATSY MINK (D)  
CONGRESSWOMAN-ELECT  
HAWAII (AT LARGE)

b7C

b6

BACKGROUND: Mrs. John Mink

On 11-3-64, Democrat Patsy Mink of Honolulu was elected at large to the U. S. Congress and will replace representative Thomas P. Gill, who made an unsuccessful try for the Senate.

*Patsy Mink 1928*

Mrs. Mink, age 36, is an attorney and has served in the State Senate. She is a graduate of the Law School of the University of Chicago.

## INFORMATION IN BUFILES:

A confidential informant reported that on 2-6-48, at a round-table conference in connection with the 13th Annual Conference of International Relations Club of the University of Hawaii, [Redacted]

[Redacted] South Pacific Commission, State Department, gave a talk on U. S. Foreign Policy. After the speech and during the question and answer period, one of the participants, Miss Patsy M. Takemoto, rose and addressed several questions to [Redacted] concerning the Palestine question. [Redacted] refused to answer her questions and flatly accused her of being un-American. Another informant who attended the conference stated he had known Patsy Takemoto quite well and remembered her as one of a group who, during evening, sat around a campfire and sang Russian folk and revolutionary songs as well as Japanese and Chinese communistic songs. He said that in his opinion Patsy Takemoto was a communist sympathizer. (121-23381-18)

A confidential informant furnished a list of candidates endorsed by the International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union (ILWU) Political Action Committee on the island of Oahu and by the Oahu Labor Council. Candidates for representative from the Fifth District included Patsy Mink. (100-52123)

1 - Mr. DeLoach

ULG:ms  
(6) NOV 23 1964

REC-39

NOV 12 1964

Continued on next page.

CRIME RESEARCH

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Evans \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

b7C

b6

[redacted] to DeLoach memo  
Patsy Mink

[redacted]  
[redacted] It was noted that Mrs. Mink was elected to the House of Representatives in the Territorial Legislature in 1956 and was reported to have been the first woman of American-Japanese extraction elected to the Hawaii legislature. On 7-15-57, [redacted] to the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii, reported that the files of his office contained no information reflecting adversely on the character and loyalty of Patsy Mink. [redacted] stated that it was common knowledge that Patsy Mink had received the endorsement of the United Public Workers and the ILWU in the last election. It was also learned that in 1956, Mink was regularly receiving the procommunist paper, "Honolulu Record." (140-5563-2, 25)

In June, 1958, [redacted] of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee requested information concerning Patsy Takemoto Mink and information of any connection between her and [redacted] a known communist. The Bureau had conducted no investigation concerning Mink and information in our files did not currently set forth her political views except as a regular receiver of the "Honolulu Record." There was no evidence, however, that she was a communist or was active in communist fronts and there were no facts showing a connection between Mink and [redacted]. It was learned that Mrs. Mink was a member of the Honolulu Chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union and was an outspoken opponent of nuclear tests in the Pacific. (66-88217-2502; 100-426761-85)

b7C

b6

Mrs. Mink regularly had the endorsement of the ILWU and was again listed on the endorsement in 1959; however, in the closing days of the campaign ILWU bought newspaper space and circulated handbills attacking her. The office subsequently learned that Mink and ILWU broke because she was one of very few legislators who voted against tax exemption for the ILWU Memorial Association Building. This information was furnished by the Honolulu Office in 1961, and at that time the Office pointed out that her receipt of the procommunist "Honolulu Record" meant nothing as probably every legislator on the island received it. (140-23771-9; 62-85181-90)

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

APM [initials]  
- 2 -

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 2-4-65

FROM :

[Redacted]

PATSY TAKEMOTO MINK

SUBJECT: CONGRESSWOMAN PATSY T. MINK  
(D - HAWAII)

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

b7C

b6

[Redacted]

Congresswoman Mink was contacted on 2-3-65 by SA [Redacted] in connection with our program of contacting new members of Congress.

The Congresswoman was highly interested in information regarding the FBI and obviously has little knowledge of our activities. She stated her family (husband and parents) had taken the tour of our Headquarters recently and were greatly impressed and most vocal in their praise. She indicated she hopes to visit the Bureau soon for a tour herself. She stated she was most appreciative of our contacting her and she was looking forward to visiting FBI Headquarters to learn more about the Bureau.

## RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

1 - Mr. DeLoach

62-109794-2  
MCT-118

21 FEB 5 1965

EX-103

CRIME RECORDS

DWB:smg

FEB 15 1965

March 2, 1967

EX-102

REC- 25

62-109794-3

Honorable Patsy T. Mink  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mrs. Mink:

Your letter of February 27th addressed to  
the Honorable Ramsey Clark was forwarded to me on  
March 1st.

In response to your request, it is a pleasure  
to enclose for your constituent material on the subject of  
crime prevention and law enforcement.

MAILED 6

MAR 2 - 1967

COMM-FBI

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (3)

The Crime Problem

A New, Modern Code of Criminal Law

Director's testimony before House Subcommittee on Appropriations 2/10/66  
regarding Organized Crime

Crime is a Worldwide Problem

A Primer for Today

What Does Crime Mean to Industry?

The War on Organized Crime

The Role of the Citizen in Law Enforcement

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Wick \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

BGH:sep (5) sep

SEE NOTE NEXT PAGE.

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

Honorable Patsy T. Mink

NOTE: Correspondent, Democratic representative from Hawaii, was elected to Congress in November, 1964. Bufiles reflect a confidential informant advised on 2-6-48 that Mrs. Mink was accused by [REDACTED]

South Pacific Commission, United States State Department, of being un-American because of her questioning of him regarding the Palestine question. The informant felt Mrs. Mink at that time was a communist sympathizer. The Bureau had conducted no investigation regarding her and Bufiles do not set forth her political views. There is no evidence she was a communist or was active in communist fronts. She is active in the American Civil Liberties Union, Honolulu Chapter. No correspondence has been maintained with her. When contacted on 2-3-65 by Special Agent [REDACTED] she indicated her family was greatly impressed with their tour of the Bureau and expressed her desire to visit the Bureau and become more familiar with it.

From.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

3/1/67

Deputy Attorney General.....	
Solicitor General.....	
Executive Assistant to the Attorney General.....	
Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust.....	
Assistant Attorney General, Tax.....	
Assistant Attorney General, Civil.....	
Assistant Attorney General, Lands.....	
Assistant Attorney General, Criminal.....	
Assistant Attorney General, Legal Counsel.....	
Assistant Attorney General, Internal Security.....	
Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights.....	
Administrative Assistant Attorney General.....	
Director, FBI.....	✓
Director, Bureau of Prisons.....	
Director, Office of Alien Property.....	
Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization...	
Pardon Attorney.....	
Parole Board.....	
Board of Immigration Appeals.....	
Special Assistant for Public Information.....	
Records Administration Office.....	

For the attention of \_\_\_\_\_

REMARKS:

*Appropriate reply.*

Appropriate reply.

H. F. R.

*H.F.R.*

(Harold F. Reis, Executive Assistant  
Office of the Attorney General)

*Ack*

*3-2-67*

*ack/sep nml*

*[Signature]*



PATSY T. MINK  
MEMBER AT LARGE  
HAWAII

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND LABOR  
SELECT SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
Ad Hoc SUBCOMMITTEE ON WAR  
ON POVERTY  
GENERAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON LABOR

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C.

OFFICE  
WASHINGTON, D.C.  
1640 LONGWORTH BUILDING  
HONOLULU, HAWAII  
346-348 FEDERAL BUILDING  
PHONE: 574792

February 27, 1967

Honorable Ramsey Clark  
Acting Attorney General  
Department of Justice  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Clark:

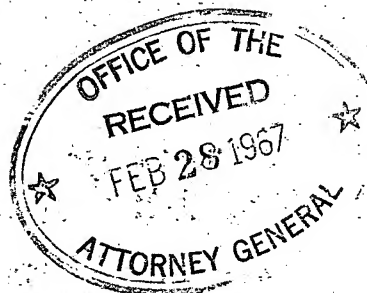
I am in receipt of a request for materials on crime prevention and law enforcement, for use by a member of the Hawaii House of Representatives. I will be grateful for any documents and publications you can make available to me for this purpose.

With best regards,

Very truly yours,

*Patsy T. Mink*

PATSY T. MINK  
Member of Congress



ATTORNEY GENERAL

FED. BU. OF INV.	
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	R
3 FEB 28 1967	E
	C
	W. B.
	R
	D

ATTORNEY GENERAL

FED. BU. OF INV.

ack

3-2-67

Bgh/sps mml

mml

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

*John F. Kennedy*

EX-102

REC- 25

62-109794-3

MAR 8 1967

EXP. PROC.<sup>37</sup>

MAR 1 1967

CORRESPONDENCE

ST  
pl

Rec'd from  
C/14  
10/28/66  
WJG

C/14

# WHO NOW KNOWS NATIONAL ACADEMY

"Community Service Since 1945" was HOKUBEI SHIMPO

260 West Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10013 NO 62-109774-11

## Mainland Friends Of Sparky, Patsy Formed

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Following a precedent set when the now Senator Daniel Inouye (Dem., Hawaii) ran for Congress and later for the Senate, a group of Japanese Americans have formed a bipartisan committee called Mainland Friends of Sparky and Patsy to campaign for the re-election to the House of Rep. Spark Matsunaga and Rep. Patsy Takemoto Mink, both Democrats.

Declared Mike Masuyoka, acting coordinator, "Since we on the Mainland are not fortunate enough as yet to be represented by our own Nisei in the United States Congress, we must depend on those from Hawaii to represent our interests and to protect our welfare, especially since Daniel Inouye in the Senate and Spark Matsunaga and Patsy Mink in the House do so with such credit to all of us who are of Japanese ancestry in the United States."

*file 5 Masuyoka*

ORIGINAL FILED IN 94-52653-A-

F381  
50 NOV 21 1966

62-109774-11  
NOT RECORDED  
102 NOV 3 1966

February 6, 1974

Honorable Patsy T. Mink  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congresswoman Mink:

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED  
DATE 5/9/83 BY SP5 Eja/kwz  
#228,287

We have concluded the review of our files concern-  
ing the interment of persons brought here from South America  
during World War II and provide you with the following sum-  
mary.

During World War II bilateral agreements were made  
by representatives of the State Department with Government  
representatives of various Latin American countries whereby  
dangerous alien enemies from those countries could be brought  
to the United States to be interned for repatriation. Those  
agreements were apparently reached pursuant to resolutions  
of the Third Inter-American Conference and Third Meeting of  
the Ministers of Foreign Affairs of Rio de Janeiro, both of  
which took place in Rio de Janeiro in 1942.

As you may be aware, President Roosevelt assigned  
intelligence responsibilities for the Western Hemisphere to  
the FBI by Presidential Directive on January 6, 1942. Our  
responsibilities were terminated soon after the war concluded.  
During the war, Special Agents of the FBI were stationed in  
Latin America, but did not participate in a "round up" of  
"South American internees." However, information concerning  
dangerous aliens present in the respective countries was dis-  
seminated by our Agents through proper channels to appropriate  
Latin American Government officials.

The internees who were arrested by South American  
Governments were transported to the United States by ship  
and airplane, and it appears some of these individuals were  
accompanied by their dependants. Upon arrival in the United  
States, they were placed in the custody of Immigration and  
Naturalization Service and, in some cases, were later  
interviewed by the FBI. Our files do not indicate how these  
procedures were financed.

- 1 - Congressional Services Office
- 1 - Office of The Deputy Attorney General
- 1 - Bufile 62-115530 (FOI-REPLIES)

MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT

MAILED 22

FEB 07 1974

FBI

Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Dir.:  
Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
Comp. Syst. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
Files & Com. \_\_\_\_\_  
Gen. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ident. \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspection \_\_\_\_\_  
Intell. \_\_\_\_\_  
Laboratory \_\_\_\_\_  
Plan. & Eval. \_\_\_\_\_  
Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Coun. \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

UNRECORDED COPY FILED IN

b7C  
b6

Honorable Patsy C. Mink

We appreciate your patience in awaiting the conclusion of our file review and trust the above information will meet your needs.

Sincerely yours,

C. M. Kelley  
Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

NOTE: We previously furnished Congresswoman Mink with State Department press releases which set forth statistics concerning internment of persons brought here from South America during World War II, forwarded her request to the State Department and advised we were reviewing our files to ascertain our role in this matter. The information being furnished to the Congresswoman was obtained from Bufiles 64-4104-98x, 62-78900-1, 62-67511-149, 64-24184-363 and 64-5001 and was coordinated with [REDACTED] Intelligence Division.

b7C

b6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bishop

DATE: 12/10/70

FROM :

SUBJECT: EAST COAST CONSPIRACY TO SAVE LIVES (ECCSL)  
INTERNAL SECURITY-MISCELLANEOUS

Tolson  
Sullivan  
Mohr  
Bishop  
Brennan  
Callahan  
Casper  
Felt  
Gale  
Rosen  
Tavel  
Walters  
Tele. Room  
Holmes  
Gandy

b7C

b6

b7C

b6

The expected colloquial on the House floor yesterday concerning the charges by Congressman William R. Anderson (D. - Tenn.) against the Director regarding his testimony about captioned group and [redacted] almost got lost in the rush to pass legislation attempting to prevent a railroad strike. Congressman Anderson did not take the floor to make his speech until 11 p.m. on 12-9-70, although he earlier had released his speech to the news media and United Press International carried a brief account of it yesterday about 5:30 p.m. He spoke for only five minutes when Congressman John M. Ashbrook (R. - Ohio) asked Anderson to yield for a comment. Ashbrook's request came after Anderson had stated the Director was practicing McCarthy tactics. Anderson refused to yield and Ashbrook then made a point of order that a quorum was not present, necessitating a quorum call of the House which took approximately 45 minutes. During this time Congressman Anderson, who had appeared extremely nervous while delivering his speech, was observed being counselled by House Liberals such as Congresswoman Patsy Mink (D. - Hawaii) and Congressman Andrew Jacobs (D. - Indiana). After the quorum call, Anderson returned to the microphone, asked for and received unanimous approval to include the remainder of his speech in the Record and promptly left the House Chambers.

Congressman Larry Hogan (R. - Maryland), who had obtained a special order immediately following Anderson's, then was recognized. He opened his remarks by chiding Anderson for circulating a letter to his colleagues inviting them to enter into a discussion regarding his charges and then refusing to yield so that a discussion could ensue, Hogan immediately was harassed by Congressman Jacobs who asked that he yield and then demanded a quorum call. He vacated his quorum call request shortly thereafter. Congressman Hogan, under very trying circumstances resulting from the "testy" attitude of members and the late hour, as well as obvious harassment by a few liberals, managed to speak for approximately 15 minutes during which time he specifically answered Anderson's two basic charges against the Director--that the Director had deprived the Berrigans of due process of law and that the Director was practicing McCarthy tactics.

1 - Mr. Sullivan  
1 - Mr. Mohr  
1 - Mr. Bishop  
1 - Mr. C.D. Brennan  
1 - [redacted]

DWB:jo  
(9)

(CONTINUED - OVER)

NOT RECORDED  
DEC 22 1970

INT. SEC.  
CRIME RECORDS



[redacted] to Bishop Memo  
Re: East Coast Conspiracy to Save Lives

At this point, approximately 11:55 p.m., conferees on the bill dealing with the railroad strike had returned to the House Chamber, and Congressman Hogan was asked if he would release the floor so this urgent piece of legislation could be disposed of. Hogan stated he would do so on condition that the remainder of his remarks could be placed in the Record and his several colleagues who also asked to speak on this matter would have the opportunity to put their views in the Record. This was agreed to.

Congressmen John Flynt (D-Ga.), Richard Ichord (D-Mo.), Dante Fascell (D-Fla.), and Ed Edmondson (D-Okla.), who had remained throughout the long session to speak on this matter, promptly began writing out their remarks which were submitted to the desk for inclusion in the Record. Congressman Samuel Devine (R-Ohio) had been appointed one of the conferees on the railroad bill; hence, he was engaged in this activity during the preceedings precipitated by Anderson's remarks. He does, however, have an opportunity to submit his statement on this topic for later inclusion in the Record. Congressman H. Allen Smith (R-Cal.) who also remained throughout the long session to speak on the Anderson charges, advised Inspector Bowers as he left the Chamber around 12:15 a.m. that he planned to wait until he has an opportunity to read Anderson's full speech so he can prepare a more complete answer to it.

Although Anderson had circulated a letter among members of the House inviting them to participate in a discussion regarding his charges against the Director and in defense of the [redacted] it was apparent that no other member intended to speak in support of his views. In addition to the above-named Congressmen who had specifically told us they would speak in the Director's defense, several others on the floor indicated by their actions they would have spoken out had the situation arisen under circumstances allowing open discussion. The only other Congressman who actually did make any remarks concerning this matter was Congressman John Rooney (D-NY), who interrupted Congressman Hogan to state that he was astonished that any member of the Congress would visit two prisoners in a Federal prison as had Congressman Anderson.

Appropriate letters to those members of Congress who came to our defense in this regard are being sent through based on their remarks as they appear in the Congressional Record. The Congressional Record, received shortly after 9 a.m., reveals that Congressmen Abner Mikva (D-Ill), Ogden Reid (R-NY), and Don Edwards (D-Calif.) inserted remarks in the Record in support of Anderson. The Record also reveals that Anderson received unanimous consent for all members to have 5 legislative days in which to extend their remarks on the topic of his discussion.

#### RECOMMENDATION

*[Handwritten signature]* For information.

July 29, 1970

Honorable Patsy T. Mink  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Mrs. Mink:

I have your letter of July 24, 1970, enclosing a copy of a resolution you received from the director of the Liquor Control Commission of the County of Maui, Hawaii, concerning our recent curtailment of certain identification services.

I am pleased to advise you at this time that the Senate is presently considering our appropriation request for the fiscal year 1971 and in that connection is giving consideration to including therein funds and personnel to reinstitute the non-Federal applicant-type fingerprint service. If approved, appropriate announcement will be made to our fingerprint contributors in due course. Meanwhile, no exceptions are being granted to the guidelines set forth in our April 27, 1970, directive to all fingerprint contributors, a copy of which is enclosed for background purposes.

Sincerely yours,

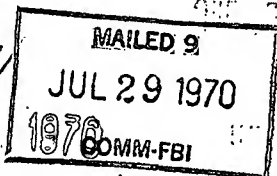
J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure

13 Honolulu (Enclosures - 2) copy of incoming & its enclosure

Tolson  
Sullivan  
Mohr  
Bishop  
Brennan, C.D.  
Callahan  
Casper  
Conrad  
Felt  
Gale  
Rosen  
Tavel  
Walters  
Soyars  
Tele. Room  
Holmes  
Gandy

JDS gds  
(5)



MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

✓ per 10/35

JUL 30 15 14 1970

FBI  
REC'D - WOH

ORIGINAL FILED IN 91-0013-8



PATSY T. MINK  
MEMBER AT LARGE  
HAWAII

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
AND LABOR

SELECT SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
GENERAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
GENERAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON LABOR

COMMITTEE ON INTERIOR AND  
INSULAR AFFAIRS

SUBCOMMITTEE ON TERRITORIAL AND  
INSULAR AFFAIRS  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS  
AND RECREATION  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

OFFICES:  
WASHINGTON, D.C.  
228 CANNON BUILDING  
PHONE: 225-4906

HONOLULU, HAWAII  
346-348 FEDERAL BUILDING  
PHONE: 531-4602

Mr. Tolson ✓  
Mr. Sullivan ✓  
Mr. Mohr ✓  
Mr. DeLoach ✓  
Mr. Brennan CD ✓  
Mr. Callahan ✓  
Mr. Casper ✓  
Mr. Conrad ✓  
Mr. Felt ✓  
Mr. Gale ✓  
Mr. Rosen ✓  
Mr. Tavel ✓  
Mr. Walters ✓  
Mr. Soyars ✓  
Tele. Room ✓  
Miss Holmes ✓  
Miss Gandy ✓

July 24, 1970

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Constitution Avenue and  
Tenth Street, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Mr. Hoover:

The Liquor Control Commission of the County of Maui, Hawaii, through its director, has forwarded the enclosed resolution requesting reinstatement of the processing of all fingerprints of applicants for liquor license as well as fingerprints of licensees' employees, which was recently abandoned by the FBI.

The Maui board favors continuation of this service. Since we are striving to increase Federal assistance to State and local law enforcement officials, rather than reduce it, I agree that the service should be continued.

Your assistance in providing this law enforcement and crime control assistance in Maui and other counties in Hawaii would be appreciated.

Very truly yours, NOT RECORDED  
191 JUL 31 1970

*Patsy T. Mink*

PATSY T. MINK  
Member of Congress  
(D. HAWAII)

1 ENCLOSURE

Enclosure

ack by let  
7-29-70  
js

30  
17 JUL 27 1970

EXP. PROC.

40 JUL 27 1970

ORIGINAL FILED IN 32-0043

ONE - LHM  
- WAT

PATSY T. MINK  
SECOND DISTRICT  
HAWAII

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
AND LABOR  
SELECT SUBCOMMITTEE ON  
EDUCATION  
GENERAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON  
EDUCATION  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON EQUAL  
OPPORTUNITIES

COMMITTEE ON INTERIOR AND  
INSULAR AFFAIRS  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON TERRITORIAL  
AND INSULAR AFFAIRS  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS  
AND RECREATION  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON MINES AND  
MINING, CHAIRMAN

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives

Washington, D.C. 20515

June 1, 1974

Mr. Clarence M. Kelley  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Department of Justice  
Ninth Street & Pennsylvania  
Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20535

Dear Mr. Kelley:

Please advise me as promptly as  
possible on the new policy recently  
announced regarding access to one's  
own files.

Please send me a copy of the rules  
governing accessibility to one's own  
files. Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

*Patsy T. Mink*

PATSY T. MINK  
Member of Congress

EX-117

REC-15

62-109794-5

6-18  
JUN 6 1974

LEGAL COUNSEL

OFFICES:  
WASHINGTON, D.C.  
2338 RAYBURN BUILDING  
PHONE: 225-4906  
HONOLULU, HAWAII  
346-348 FEDERAL BUILDING  
PHONE: 531-4602  
WAIKAPU, HAWAII  
94-801 FARRINGTON HIGHWAY  
PHONE: 671-0170

Assoc. Dir.	_____
Dep.-A.D.-Adm.	_____
Dep.-A.D.-Inv.	_____
Asst. Dir.:	_____
Admin.	_____
Comp. Syst.	_____
Ident.	_____
Files & Com.	_____
Gen. Inv.	_____
Ident.	_____
Inspection	_____
Intell.	_____
Laboratory	_____
Plan. & Eval.	_____
Spec. Inv.	_____
Training	_____
Legal Coun.	_____
Telephone Rm.	_____
Director Sec'y	_____

BIDGERS

EX-117  
JUN 6 1974

WML  
note 6/12/74  
F.D. Lan

REC-15

June 12, 1974

Honorable Patsy T. Mink  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C. 20515

Dear Congresswoman Mink:

In reply to your letter of June 1st, I assume you are referring to my remarks made on the "Today" program on NBC television on April 9, 1974.

It should be pointed out that, when considering whether or not an individual should have the right to inspect his FBI file, consideration also must be given to the rights of the persons who furnish information to the Government. Traditionally, the FBI has concerned itself with the rights of both of these parties. In many instances, we have gone beyond Supreme Court interpretation of the Constitution in insuring that individuals are afforded the rights guaranteed them. We intend to continue maintaining this high tradition, and we hope this will enable us to merit the same public trust and confidence we have enjoyed in the past.

Although we have previously studied the feasibility of allowing citizens to review the files we might have referring to them, we reexamined this problem, in light of my remarks, and have not found a ready solution. The files of the FBI contain information received from many sources, including data obtained from or voluntarily furnished by the general public, with the expressed or implied understanding that their identities will be protected. Because of the nature of our files, it would be impossible to allow unofficial access to FBI files while at the same time honoring our pledge to protect the identities of contributors of information. Therefore, under current policy, we welcome submission of supplemental information which will make our files more complete and accurate.

If we can be of any further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to call upon us.

Sincerely yours,

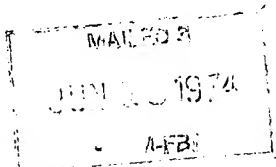
C. M. Kelley  
Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

- 1 - The Deputy Attorney General - Enclosure
- 1 - Bufile 62-115530 (FOI-REPLIES)

RD:law (7)

SEE NOTE PAGE TWO

Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Dir.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
Comp. Syst. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
Files & Com. \_\_\_\_\_  
Gen. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ident. \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspection \_\_\_\_\_  
Intell. \_\_\_\_\_  
Laboratory \_\_\_\_\_  
Plan. & Eval. \_\_\_\_\_  
Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_



JUN 28 1974

TELETYPE UNIT ☐

b7C

b6

cc Rec'd. 9/15/75  
FBI - New York  
FBI - Washington  
FBI - Los Angeles  
FBI - San Francisco  
FBI - Dallas  
FBI - Houston  
FBI - Phoenix  
FBI - Portland  
FBI - Salt Lake City  
FBI - Seattle  
FBI - San Diego  
FBI - San Jose  
FBI - Tucson  
FBI - Wichita  
FBI - Albuquerque  
FBI - Anchorage  
FBI - Honolulu  
FBI - Miami  
FBI - New Orleans  
FBI - Norfolk  
FBI - Omaha  
FBI - St. Louis  
FBI - St. Paul  
FBI - Tampa  
FBI - Washington Field Office  
FBI - New York Field Office  
FBI - Los Angeles Field Office  
FBI - San Francisco Field Office  
FBI - Dallas Field Office  
FBI - Houston Field Office  
FBI - Phoenix Field Office  
FBI - Portland Field Office  
FBI - Salt Lake City Field Office  
FBI - Seattle Field Office  
FBI - San Diego Field Office  
FBI - San Jose Field Office  
FBI - Tucson Field Office  
FBI - Wichita Field Office  
FBI - Albuquerque Field Office  
FBI - Anchorage Field Office  
FBI - Honolulu Field Office  
FBI - Miami Field Office  
FBI - New Orleans Field Office  
FBI - Norfolk Field Office  
FBI - Omaha Field Office  
FBI - St. Louis Field Office  
FBI - St. Paul Field Office  
FBI - Tampa Field Office

Honorable Patsy T. Mink

NOTE: Based on incoming request from Congresswoman Mink dated 6-1-74, above response is similar to that utilized in inquiry from Congressman Charles A. Vanik. Congresswoman Mink is a democratic representative from Hawaii and was elected to Congress in 1964. She was involved in a Freedom of Information Act suit for certain records of the Environmental Protection Agency brought by several Members of Congress which went to the Supreme Court. By letter 10-12-73, she requested information concerning internment of Germans, Italians and Japanese brought to the United States from South America during World War II for confinement in this country.

REC-56

Honorable Patsy T. Mink  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C. 20515

January 24, 1975

1  
1  
1  
1

b7C

b6

Dear Congresswoman Mink:

This is to acknowledge your letter dated January 18th.

With regard to your request for a list of all former and present private citizens of the State of Hawaii against whom surveillance was conducted by the FBI during the period 1965 to the present, I regret to inform you that I am unable to accede to your request. For your information, our records are indexed in a manner which enables us to readily locate information in our files concerning a particular individual or organization. In the absence of more specificity regarding alleged surveillance of a particular individual or organization, we are unable to locate any records which would be responsive to your request.

As you are probably aware, in connection with the recent news accounts concerning the FBI's collecting information and maintaining files on persons in public life, I am tentatively scheduled to appear and testify before the Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights Subcommittee of the House Judiciary Committee on or about January 30, 1975. In addition, plans have been made for the Senate to form a select committee to look into the FBI's activities in this same area. Since your request to personally examine any files which the FBI may have maintained on you appears to go to the very heart of my contemplated appearance before the aforementioned committees, I ask your indulgence in allowing me to defer responding to your request at this time.

In response to your request, however, I am currently having FBI files checked to determine if we do maintain a file concerning you, and I shall have one of my representatives contact you in the near future. With respect to your family, please be advised that we cannot conduct a search of our files without first having their names, dates and places of birth, and any other identifying data you may care to furnish which would aid us in searching our files. Upon receipt thereof, your request will be processed under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act.

1 - The Deputy Attorney General - Enclosure

1 - Bufile 62-115530 (FOI-REPLIES)

AHM:law (11)

MAIL ROOM ☐

TELETYPE UNIT ☐

cc descr. c/memo 5/19/75

Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Dir.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
Comp. Syst. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
Files & Com. \_\_\_\_\_  
Gen. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ident. \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspection \_\_\_\_\_  
Intell. \_\_\_\_\_  
Laboratory \_\_\_\_\_  
Plan. & Eval. \_\_\_\_\_  
Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Coun. \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

*Handwritten signatures and initials:*  
Jma  
Jef  
Jef  
mcl

MAILED 6  
JAN 29 1975

Honorable Patsy T. Mink

It should be noted that we have no objection to processing your request for information concerning members of your family. However, we would be reluctant to process that part of your request which would pertain to adult members thereof. It has been the standard practice of the FBI to process requests in this latter category only upon written request or authorization of the subject of the request.

Finally, in response to your request to personally examine any files which the FBI may have maintained on any member of your congressional staff, please be advised that the FBI has consistently taken the position that it would constitute an unwarranted invasion of the personal privacy of the subject of any file we may have to furnish information therefrom to a third party without the written authorization of the subject of the file. Please do not infer, however, that we do or do not have files regarding members of your staff.

Sincerely yours,

Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

PATSY T. MINK  
SECOND DISTRICT  
HAWAII

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
AND LABOR  
SELECT SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
GENERAL SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES

COMMITTEE ON INTERIOR AND  
INSULAR AFFAIRS  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON TERRITORIAL AND  
INSULAR AFFAIRS  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS  
AND RECREATION  
SUBCOMMITTEE ON MINES AND MINING,  
CHAIRMAN

**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**  
Washington, D.C. 20515

18 January 1975

b7C

b6

Honorable Clarence Kelly  
Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
The Justice Department  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Kelly:

Please send me a list of all private citizens who were or are residents of the State of Hawaii against whom surveillance such as wire-tapping, spying, interception of mail, etc. was conducted by members of your bureau during the period 1965 to the present date.

Please grant me an appointment at your earliest convenience for a personal examination of any files which the FBI may have maintained on me or any member of my family or of my congressional staff.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

*Patsy T. Mink*  
Patsy T. Mink  
Member of Congress  
(D-HAWAII)

Copy made for Tele. Rm.

*1/22/75 gmd*

Assoc. Dir.	
Dep. AD-Adm.	
Dep. AD-Inv.	
Asst. Dir.:	
Admin.	
Comp. Syst.	
Ext. Affairs	
Files & Com.	
Gen. Inv.	
Ident.	
Inspection	
Intell.	
Laboratory	
Plan. & Eval.	
Spec. Inv.	
Training	
Off. Coun.	
Telephone Rm.	
Director's Sec'y	

*Ask. plo.*

*K*

*7-1*

*EX-112*

*HR*

REC-56

62-109794-6

EX-112

1-29  
JAN 21 1975

*ack 1/24/75*  
*AHP New*

*CONFIDENTIAL*  
*11-2*  
*Counsel*



PLEASE EXPEDITE

THIS MAIL SHOULD BE

ACKNOWLEDGED WITHIN 48 HOURS

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 11-6-64

FROM : [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: PATSY MINK (D)  
CONGRESSWOMAN-ELECT  
HAWAII (AT LARGE)

BACKG ROUND: Mrs. Patsy Mink

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Belmont \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Evans \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

b7C

b6

On 11-3-64, Democrat Patsy Mink of Honolulu was elected at large to the U. S. Congress and will replace representative Thomas P. Gill, who made an unsuccessful try for the Senate.

Mrs. Mink, age 36, is an attorney and has served in the State Senate. She is a graduate of the Law School of the University of Chicago.

## INFORMATION IN BUFILES:

A confidential informant reported that on 2-6-48, at a round table conference in connection with the 13th Annual Conference of International Relations Club of the University of Hawaii, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] South Pacific Commission, State Department, gave a talk on U. S. Foreign Policy. After the speech and during the question and answer period, one of the participants, Miss Patsy M. Takemoto, rose and addressed several questions to [REDACTED] concerning the Palestine question. [REDACTED] refused to answer her questions and flatly accused her of being un-American. Another informant who attended the conference stated he had known Patsy Takemoto quite well and remembered her as one of a group who, during evening, sat around a campfire and sang Russian folk and revolutionary songs as well as Japanese and Chinese communistic songs. He said that in his opinion Patsy Takemoto was a communist sympathizer. (121-23381-18)

A confidential informant furnished a list of candidates endorsed by the International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union (ILWU) Political Action Committee on the island of Oahu and by the Oahu Labor Council. Candidates for representative from the Fifth District included Patsy Mink. (100-52123)

1 - Mr. DeLoach

ULG:gms  
(6) NOV 13 1964

REC-39

ENCLOSURE  
CRIME RESEARCH

Continued on next page.



[redacted] to DeLoach memo  
Patsy Mink

[redacted]  
[redacted] It was noted that Mrs. Mink was elected to the House of Representatives in the Territorial Legislature in 1956 and was reported to have been the first woman of American-Japanese extraction elected to the Hawaii legislature. On 7-15-57, [redacted] to the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii, reported that the files of his office contained no information reflecting adversely on the character and loyalty of Patsy Mink. [redacted] stated that it was common knowledge that Patsy Mink had received the endorsement of the United Public Workers and the ILWU in the last election. It was also learned that in 1956, Mink was regularly receiving the procommunist paper, "Honolulu Record." (140-5563-2, 25)

b7C  
b6

In June, 1958, [redacted] of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee requested information concerning Patsy Takemoto Mink and information of any connection between her and [redacted] a known communist. The Bureau had conducted no investigation concerning Mink and information in our files did not currently set forth her political views except as a regular receiver of the "Honolulu Record." There was no evidence, however, that she was a communist or was active in communist fronts and there were no facts showing a connection between Mink and [redacted] It was learned that Mrs. Mink was a member of the Honolulu Chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union and was an outspoken opponent of nuclear tests in the Pacific. (66-88217-2502; 100-426761-85)

b7C  
b6

Mrs. Mink regularly had the endorsement of the ILWU and was again listed on the endorsement in 1959; however, in the closing days of the campaign ILWU bought newspaper space and circulated handbills attacking her. The office subsequently learned that Mink and ILWU broke because she was one of very few legislators who voted against tax exemption for the ILWU Memorial Association Building. This information was furnished by the Honolulu Office in 1961, and at that time the Office pointed out that her receipt of the procommunist "Honolulu Record" meant nothing as probably every legislator on the island received it. (140-23771-9; 62-85181-90)

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

✓  
[Signature]  
- 2 -

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
Comp. Syst. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
Files & Com. \_\_\_\_\_  
Gen. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ident. \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspection \_\_\_\_\_  
Intell. \_\_\_\_\_  
Laboratory \_\_\_\_\_  
Plan. & Eval. \_\_\_\_\_  
Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Coun. \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

TO

[Redacted]

DATE: 2-6-75

b7C

b6

FROM : Legal Counsel

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST OF  
REPRESENTATIVE PATSY T. MINK (D-HAWAII)

Reference is made to the Director's letter to Representative Mink dated 1-24-75, wherein she was advised that FBI files were being reviewed to determine if we maintain a file concerning her and that a representative would contact her in the near future.

A review of Bufiles indicates that Representative Mink has not been the subject of an investigation by the FBI. However, we do maintain a miscellaneous file concerning her which is comprised of five recorded and two unrecorded serials. One of these serials, copy attached, is a memorandum from [Redacted] to Mr. DeLoach dated 11-6-64 and captioned, "Patsy Mink (D), Congresswoman-Elect, Hawaii (At Large)." This memorandum contains limited public-source type biographical information and the results of a check of Bufiles (Note: While Representative Mink can be advised of the contents of "Background" information, she should not be advised of the "Information in Bufiles," since this data is taken from investigatory files and is exempt under Title 5, United States Code, Section 552). Another document, copy attached, is a memorandum from [Redacted] to Mr. DeLoach setting forth [Redacted] initial contact with her on 2-3-65 (Note: This information can be made available to her). A third document is a copy of a 10-20-66 newspaper article pertaining to a partisan committee which was formed in support of her re-election (not recorded). Two other serials consist of a) A letter which was referred to us dated 2-27-67 from Representative Mink to then Acting Attorney General Clark requesting materials on crime prevention and law enforcement and our reply thereto, and b) A letter dated 7-24-70 from Representative Mink to Mr. Hoover enclosing a resolution from Maui County, Hawaii, requesting reinstatement of the processing of all fingerprints of liquor license applicants, and our reply thereto. Another serial is a copy of our letter to Representative Mink dated 2-6-74, wherein she was furnished historical information concerning internment of prisoners brought to the United States from South America during

b7C

b6

ENCLOSURE

Enclosures (2)

- 1 - [Redacted]
- 1 - [Redacted]
- 1 - [Redacted]
- 1 - [Redacted]
- 1 - [Redacted]

57 MAR 1975  
104  
10372

MAR 18 1975

- 1 - [Redacted]
- 1 - [Redacted]
- 1 - [Redacted]

CONTINUED - OVER

Legal Coun. [Signature]  
3-5-75  
D-115/10  
D-115/10

Legal Counsel to [redacted] memo  
Re: FOIA Request of Representative Patsy T. Mink

b7C  
b6  
World War II. One other correspondence matter is Representative Mink's letter to Mr. Kelley dated 6-1-74 in which she inquired about the new policy regarding access to one's own FBI file, and our reply thereto. One last document is a copy of an unrecorded memorandum from [redacted] to Mr. Bishop dated 12-10-70 captioned, "East Coast Conspiracy to Save Lives (ECCSL) Internal Security-Miscellaneous," reporting House floor action regarding former Director Hoover's testimony about the ECCSL and the [redacted]. In this memorandum it was mentioned that another Congressman was counseled by "House Liberals such as Congresswoman Patsy T. Mink..." (62-109794).

In addition to the above, our files contain 33 references of a non-derogatory nature wherein Representative Mink's name was mentioned during the course of other authorized investigative activities of the FBI. Of these references, 19 pertain to Internal Security or Security matter investigations wherein, during the course of our investigation, Representative Mink's name was mentioned solely in connection with her official capacity as either Territorial Representative or U. S. Congresswoman, or in connection with her re-election efforts. All of these references are either currently classified or appear to warrant classification under existing Executive Order.

Six additional references consist of reports furnished to us by other Government agencies. In these reports, Representative Mink was mentioned in passing in her official political capacity. The main thrust of these reports pertains to other matters unrelated to the Congresswoman.

Three references pertain to media articles in which Representative Mink's name was mentioned. Two of these articles are old newspaper stories and the other is a portion of a radio transcript which was not solicited by us but was furnished by a citizen commentator.

Our files contain two references to Representative Mink in connection with Federal Employee Security investigations.

b7C  
b6  
[redacted]  
[redacted] had been listed as a reference of the subject of our investigation.

Legal Counsel to [redacted] memo  
Re: FOIA Request of Representative Patsy T. Mink

b7C

b6

The three remaining references are miscellaneous in nature. One relates to a constituent matter referred to us by former Attorney General Clark regarding [redacted]

[redacted] Then Assistant Attorney General Yeagley subsequently replied to Representative Mink's inquiry. Another of the Mink references consists of an inquiry from the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee as to whether or not Representative Patsy Takemoto Mink was related to one [redacted] an alleged Communist Party member residing in Hawaii. Our reply to this inquiry was negative in nature, consisting of limited biographical data. The third reference pertains to a 3-30-68 telephone call to our Honolulu Office by Representative Mink wherein she advised that a local radio station had made a tape recording of a radio program which allegedly contained an inflammatory remark alleging that "...if President Johnson comes to Honolulu, he will be dead." This information thereafter was furnished to the United States Secret Service.

b7C

b6

RECOMMENDATION:

That, upon approval, a liaison representative personally contact Representative Mink and orally advise her of a summary of her file as set forth herein, and of references in other Bureau files as set forth.

*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Handwritten signature]*

*[Handwritten signature]*

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Records Section

, 19\_\_

☐ Name Searching Unit - Room 6527  
☐ Service Unit - Room 6524  
☐ Forward to ☐  
☐ Attention ☐  
☒ Return to ☐

Supervisor ☐ Room ☐ Ext. ☐

## Type of References Requested:

☐ Regular Request (Analytical Search)  
☒ All References (Subversive & Nonsubversive)  
☐ Subversive References Only  
☐ Nonsubversive References Only  
☐ Main \_\_\_\_\_ References Only

## Type of Search Requested:

☐ Restricted to Locality of \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Exact Name Only (On the Nose)  
☐ Buildup ☐ Variations

Subject \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate &amp; Place \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Localities \_\_\_\_\_

R# \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Searcher

Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Prod. \_\_\_\_\_

FILE NUMBER

SERIAL

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	62-109794
I	140-23771-9
I	62-85181-90 p9
I	105-223284-10 p7
I	100-52123-2836
I	105-137081-7
I	105-138315-18-61 p2
Patsy Takemoto	
I	140-5563-25
I	117-2221-8
I	100-426761-85 p4
I	100-52123-1963 p13
I	62-88217-2502, 2501
I	62-85181-90 p7, 97
Patsy Takemoto, Mrs.	
I	100-3-110-677
Patsy	
I	105-165416-8
I	62-0-71647

b7C

b6

### CRUCIAL REFERENCE

## SEARCH SLIP

Subj:

Supervis

Room 4708

R #.

Date \_\_\_\_\_


Searcher

Initial

Prod.

FILE NUMBER

SERIAL



I	Mo. SS63.25
---	-------------

I 100-52123-2064 p14

I	1797ps; 2739
---	--------------

2. 42.85181.97

I 100-422504-42p16

$$\pm 100-3.11099$$
$$\pm 15.14704.380$$

I 105-198217-25021

I 100.460281-16

I	100.453233.182034
---	-------------------

I 105. 14704-264

I 14-3079-23

I 157.8428. A Wash. Post 6/6/68

I/S 72428.A

I 100.454565.192

I 105.198277.23

I	100-422504.90
---	---------------

b7C

b6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO

[Redacted]

FROM

Legal Counsel

SUBJECT:

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA)  
REQUEST OF REPRESENTATIVE  
PATSY T. MINK (D-HAWAII)

DATE: 3-5-75

b7C

b6

Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Dir.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
Comp. Syst. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
Files & Com. \_\_\_\_\_  
Gen. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ident. \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspection \_\_\_\_\_  
Intell. \_\_\_\_\_  
Laboratory \_\_\_\_\_  
Plan. & Eval. \_\_\_\_\_  
Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

Reference memorandum of 2-6-75 from Legal Counsel to [Redacted] wherein it was recommended and approved that Congresswoman Mink be furnished an oral summary of the information set out in referenced memorandum.

By appointment, Inspectors [Redacted] called on Congresswoman Mink on 3-4-75. She had a number of general and some specific questions concerning our practices and procedures with respect to gathering and retaining information about Congressmen as well as private citizens. Many of her questions were based on inaccurate or misleading news media reports and particular care was taken in providing her factual information to correct the misunderstanding which she had.

Mrs. Mink was assured that we have never investigated her nor do we have in our files any derogatory information concerning her personal life. She was told of the information contained in the file maintained on her and advised of the various references we have in other files. She indicated no concern about any of this information with the exception of that data contained in the various investigative files. She was told that this information was not derogatory and generally involved mention of her name in connection with her functions as a public figure either in state or Federal Government. She asked if some of these references might concern her appearances at peace rallies and the like, and she was told that undoubtedly some of the references would concern such activity. She was assured that our interest in such functions had not concerned her but had been directed at other individuals and organizations in which we had an investigative interest and who would have been involved in the function. It was pointed out to her that there certainly was no sinister motive behind our recording her appearance at such functions particularly when these appearances were in public and representatives of various news media associations undoubtedly were present and gave detailed accounts of her participation. She laughingly commented that generally that is one of the main reasons for her participation--good press coverage.

1 [Redacted]  
1 [Redacted]  
1 [Redacted]

1 - [Redacted]  
1 - [Redacted]

MAR 18 1975

[Redacted]

DWB:kjs (9)

CONTINUED - OVER



Legal Counsel to [REDACTED]  
RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA)  
REQUEST OF REPRESENTATIVE  
PATSY T. MINK (D-HAWAII)

b7C

b6

Mrs. Mink then commented that she does have some concern that the FBI would have a record of her appearances at functions such as peace rallies since some people might interpret this activity unfavorably to her and since our records undoubtedly would not show the balance of her speaking engagements by listing all the appearances she also made at functions such as PTA gatherings. She stated hypothetically that should the Democratic Party regain the White House and she be nominated as Secretary of State, the FBI check which would have a strong bearing on whether or not she would be confirmed would probably show only that she had spoken at peace rallies. It was explained to Mrs. Mink that an FBI check in that instance would not be merely a review of information already in our files but would constitute a full field investigation of her entire adult life involving interviews with numerous individuals who have known her at various times as well as extensive checks of records which would give a rather complete picture of her activities.

A fairly lengthy conversation took place concerning the effect of recently enacted privacy legislation and Freedom of Information legislation on the FBI. Mrs. Mink was told of some of the difficulties we are encountering in this regard. Her attention also was called to legislation which we have endorsed which would establish guidelines concerning the uses of information gathered by the FBI. She was told, and seemed to understand and accept, some of the problems which could arise if the FBI were to be prevented from accepting and retaining information volunteered to it. She expressed surprise that we do not have a number of derogatory letters concerning her from some of her constituents.

The meeting with Mrs. Mink lasted approximately one hour and was cordial throughout. She commented near the end of the session that she felt certain Congressman William Moorhead and the staff of the House Subcommittee dealing with privacy legislation would take into consideration our problems with the recently passed legislation. It was pointed out to her that Congressman Moorhead no longer is Chairman of the Subcommittee and that the new Chairman is Congresswoman Bella Abzug.

Mrs. Mink has been furnished a copy of the statements by the Director and the Attorney General before the Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights on 2-27-75.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

b7C

b6

TO

FROM : Legal Counsel *Jm*

SUBJECT: INQUIRY OF REPRESENTATIVE PATSY MINK  
CONCERNING EMPLOYEE HOUSING  
OAKWOOD APARTMENTS,  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

Assoc. Dir. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Adm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep. AD Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Asst. Dir.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Admin. \_\_\_\_\_  
Comp. Syst. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ext. Affairs \_\_\_\_\_  
Files & Com. \_\_\_\_\_  
Gen. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Ident. \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspection \_\_\_\_\_  
Intell. \_\_\_\_\_  
Laboratory \_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Coun. \_\_\_\_\_  
Plan. & Eval. \_\_\_\_\_  
Spec. Inv. \_\_\_\_\_  
Training \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Rm. \_\_\_\_\_  
Director Sec'y \_\_\_\_\_

On 10-1-75, [redacted] to Representative Patsy Mink of Hawaii, telephoned SA [redacted] at the Representative's request, advising Bureau employee, [redacted] had recently visited Mrs. Mink's office. While [redacted] visit was casual, she having recently arrived from Hawaii and entered on duty with the Bureau as a clerical employee [redacted] expressed some dissatisfaction regarding her housing arrangements at the Oakwood Apartments, Alexandria, Virginia.

b7C

b6

[redacted] indicated to [redacted] that she and her roommates are denied the use of the apartment building social rooms because they are under age. She and her roommates, however, find their accommodations in general to be satisfactory.

b7C

b6

[redacted] assured SA [redacted] that Representative Mink does not intend to register a complaint in [redacted] behalf she nonetheless asks a representative of our Housing Unit to contact her regarding [redacted] dissatisfaction.

## RECOMMENDATION:

A Housing Unit representative will provide assurances of our continuing concern for our employee's well being to [redacted] and Representative Mink as well as the basis, if any, of [redacted] complaint and its resolution.

b7C

b6

1 - Personnel file [redacted]

EX-115

REC-30

62-109224  
OCT 5 1975

RTT:lgp

RE(11)

Addendum of Administrative Division Page 2.

OVER



5010-108

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

ADDENDUM OF ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION WJD:jcv 10-7-75

On 10-6-75, [ ] to Representative Patsy Mink of Hawaii, was contacted by Special Agent [ ] of the FBI Housing Office and apprised of the Bureau's abiding concern for the welfare of all its employees. Particular reference was made to [ ] and her fellow Hawaiians and the special courtesies that were extended to them beginning with their recruitment and continuing to the present time.

It was also emphasized that [ ] and friends were told of the club age rule at Oakwood and they agreed to these restrictions before signing the lease or moving into the premises. Additionally, they were also informed that if they were subsequently dissatisfied in any way with their accommodations there they could move at any time by simply obtaining replacements for themselves through the FBI Housing Office.

[ ] was completely amiable and reiterated that he was not registering a complaint. He explained that this last group of Hawaiians came from one of the smallest islands and sometimes things had to be repeated several times before they could understand them. He expressed his gratitude for the Bureau's interest and courtesy and stated that he would advise [ ] to contact the FBI Housing Office.

That same afternoon, [ ] telephoned [ ] and indicated her appreciation for the assistance in resolving her housing problem. She stated that she would make appropriate contact with the Housing Office immediately thereafter.

*Eat*  
*Rah*